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REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE QUESTION CONCERNING HAITI

1. The present report is submitted to the Security Council in pursuance of paragraph 5 of resolution 917 (1994) of 6 May 1994, which "requests that the Secretary-General, having regard for the views of the Secretary-General of the Organization of American States, report to the Council not later than 19 May 1994 on steps the military have taken to comply with actions required of them by the Governors Island Accord 1/ as specified in paragraph 18 below".

2. In paragraph 18 the Council:

> "Decides that, notwithstanding paragraph 16 above, measures in the present resolution and earlier relevant resolutions will not be completely lifted until:
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> "(a) The retirement of the Commander-in-Chief of the Haitian Armed Forces, and the resignation or departure from Haiti of the Chief of the Metropolitan Zone of Port-au-Prince, commonly known as the Chief of Police of Port-au-Prince, and the Chief of Staff of the Haitian Armed Forces;
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> "(b) Completion of the changes by retirement or departure from Haiti in the leadership of the police and military high command called for in the Governors Island Agreement;
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> "(c) Adoption of the legislative actions called for in the Governors Island Agreement, as well as the creation of a proper environment in which free and fair legislative elections can be organized in the framework of the full restoration of democracy in Haiti;
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> "(d) The creation by authorities of the proper environment for the deployment of the United Nations Mission in Haiti (UNMIH);
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> "(e) The return in the shortest time possible of the democratically elected President and maintenance of constitutional order,
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> "these conditions being necessary for the full implementation of the Governors Island Agreement."

3. Having had regard for the views of the Secretary-General of the Organization of American States (OAS), I regret to inform the Council that there has been no change in the attitude of the Haitian military, who have not taken any steps to comply with paragraph 18 of resolution 917 (1994). On the contrary, the Commander-in-Chief of the Haitian Armed Forces supported the attempt to replace illegally the legitimate President of Haiti, an attempt that was strongly condemned on 11 May 1994 by the members of the Security Council (S/PRST/1994/24) and by the Permanent Council of OAS. 2/

Notes

1/ See S/26063.

2/ CP/Dec.18 (986/94).